FUTURE OF JOURNALISM 2025, Cardiff, 11-12 September 2025

Time	Thursday 11th September									
08:30	**Registration - Coffee & breakfast**									
09:15	**Welcome – Dr. Matt Walsh & Dr. Diana Garrisi**									
09:30	**Keynote: Jodie Ginsberg, CEO Committee for the Protection of Journalists**									
10:30	**Coffee break**									
11:00	**Breakout one**									
	Rm1 - **Chair:** **AI I**	Rm2 - **Chair:** **ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CONFLICT I**	Rm3 - **Chair:** **AUDIENCE ENGAGEMENT I**	Rm4 - **Chair:** **FACT CHECKING I**	Rm5 - **Chair:** **CONSTRUCTIVE JOURNALISM**	Rm6 - **Chair:** **ELECTIONS I**	Rm7- **Chair:** **NEWS DESERTS**	Rm8 - **Chair:** **GENDER I**	Rm9 - **Chair:** **ENVISIONING THE JOURNALISM OF TOMORROW**	Rm10 - **Chair** **PERIPHERAL ACTORS**
	AI for Democracy? How Public Service Media around the world use AI to produce journalism Kate Wright **Bridging the AI Gap: How media professionals are struggling to keep pace with artificial intelligence** Simon Peña-Fernández, Ainara Larrondo-Ureta, Urko Peña-Alonso **Negotiating Journalism's Authority in the Age of AI: Swiss Journalists' Strategies Between Governance and Emotional Agency** Laura Amigo, Colin Porlezza **Who Gets What and Why? Untangling the**	**Domesticating Israel's Gaza War – Norwegian and Swedish Public Service Coverage of the first month after October 7th** Kristina M. Riegert, Kristin Skare Orgeret **All Eyes on Gaza? The Israel-Hamas War in the Israeli Media** Ayala Panievsky **When Is Too Much Not Enough? The Missing Impact of Single-Image Photojournalism in the Ongoing Israel-Palestine Conflict** Ellie Macdonald **Alternative Wartime Journalism on Telegram: Ethical Tensions and Professional Identity in Crisis Coverage**	**The Paradox of Negativity: The Effect of Positive News Headlines in an Increasingly Negative World** Stephanie Edgerly, Emily K. Vraga, Ruth Palmer **What Are You Laughing At? Visual Humour as a Disruptive Force** James Whitworth **Normalizing News Avoidance: Privileging Emotional Wellbeing in the Face of Negative News** Matt Carlson **"OMG, we don't need AI-washing": Bridging the gap between audiences needs and transparency**	**Fact-Checkers as New Journalistic Mediators: The Role of Global News Agencies' Verification Units and Their Collaboration with Tech Platforms** Regina Cazzamatta **Fact-Checking in South America: Multimedia Strategies to Fight Disinformation** Lucia Mesquita, Kevin Alexis García, Mathias Felipe de Lima Santos **What's in a Journalistic Fact-Check? Investigating the Impact of Source Transparency on Credibility Perceptions and Trust**	**The 3Cs or Covering Conflict with a Constructive approach: Solutions Journalism as Practice** Dora Santos-Silva, Gabriela Ferreira **Enhancing the theoretical visual framework of solutions journalism: In-depth analysis of journalistic rigor in solutions video stories** Petra Kovačević, Kyser Lough **Breaking Barriers: Dialogue as a Tool for Journalism to Counter Polarised and Populist Narratives** Marie Rathmann, Christina Krakovsky, Krisztina Rozgonyi, Tobias Eberwein	**American Elections 2020 and 2024: Shifts and Continuities in the Use of Sources in International Media** Ivanka Pjesivac, Iveta Imre, Ana Petrov **Impartial questioning? An analysis of Journalistic Questions in Flemish Election Coverage** Hanne Tillemans, Cato Depauw **Opinion at a crossroads: What is the future of professional editorial writing?** Nick Mathews, Pranaav Jadhav, Benjamin Toff, Ryan Thomas **Conflicting views of democracy,**	**Dealing with Crime News in News Deserts** Steen Steensen **Reporting violence in conflict-ridden territories: challenges to journalists in Brazil** Aline Grupillo, Luísa Torre, Pedro Jerónimo **The Last News Frontier: How Public Radio Staves Off News Deserts** Stan Jastrzebski **News Desert Detection in Crisis: A Data-Based Study in Wartime Ukraine** Polina Lypova, Ievhen Kohen, Nataliia Fedor, Oksana Buts, Andrey Boborykin, Dariya Orlova	**The Prestige Gap: A Study of Gender Bias in the Australian Media** Andrea Carson, Diana Bossio **Journalism Under the Taliban: A Field Theory Perspective on Gendered Experiences of Afghan Women Journalists** Sayyed Fawad Ali Shah **The gendered hierarchies of the newsroom. Embracing and resisting organisational innovations and professional norms in the post-#MeToo era** Ange Richard **Mind the gender gap: issues and challenges facing**	**The Ghost of Journalism Past: The Hauntological Loop of Lost Journalism Futures** Nisha Sridharan **The future of news "as in a mirror, dimly": journalists' and editors' grim forecasts for journalism and its financial sustainability, through the lenses of hypernormalization and absurdity** Marta S. Silva **Imaginaries of journalism's future. The underlying value(s) of innovation funds** Frank Harbers **Five Utopias of the Media: A Global Study of Gen Z's Desired Journalism**	**Conflicting perspectives on journalism: Peripheral actors' changing position in the journalistic field and its possible impact** Alice Němcová Tejkalová, Kateřina Turková, Sandra Lábová **Transforming journalism? Results from a survey of peripheral journalists' role orientations and transformational aims** Folker Hanusch, Filip Dingerkus, Kim Löhmann, Wiebke Loosen, Raoul Mitterstainer, Andreas Riedl, Anna von Garmissen, Vinzenz Wyss

	Emerging Political Economy of AI, News, and Technology Companies Felix M. Simon **Artificial Intelligence and Journalism: Conflict, Convergence, and the Future of Journalism Education** Debora Wenger, John Cokley	Yaron Ariel, Vered Elishar, Dana Weimann-Saks	**strategies in AI-supported news** Kristin Van Damme, Stephanie D'haeseleer	Kim Verhoeven, Steve Paulussen, Gert-Jan de Bruijn **Explain, justify, warn – The fact-checking strategies of German practitioners** Johanna Radechovsky	**Stories of Resilience: How Constructive Journalism Shapes Narratives of Distant Suffering** Eline Huiberts **Finding Joy in Reporting Disaster Recovery: The case of Hurricane Helene and Appalachian journalism** Grace Ficara, Grace Smith, Ella Hackett, Teodora Tavares, Jin Young Hwang, Ava Jochims, Monica Crawford, Volha Kananovich, Gregory Perreault	**conflicting views of journalism?** Tim P. Vos, David Wolfgang, Ryan J. Thomas **'Italy looks like a boot!': Kakistocratic Journalism and the Commentariat** Vincent Campbell		**female journalists in Vietnam** Minh Tran, Huong Thi Pham	Colin Monahan, Flora Tucker, Henry Stevens, Alexis Mirbach **The narrative newsroom: Internal storytelling and the future of legacy, metropolitan news** Patrick Ferrucci	**Mapping News Influencers in Canada** Michelle Bartleman, Elizabeth Dubois **Social Media News Creators: Reshaping the Business and Labor of Journalism** Errol Salamon, Valérie Belair-Gagnon, Monica Crawford
12:30	**Lunch**									
13:30	**Breakout two**									
	Rm1 – **Chair:** **POLITICAL JOURNALISM**	Rm2 - **Chair:** **RUSSO-UKRAINIAN WAR**	Rm3 - **Chair:** **WELL-BEING**	Rm4 - **Chair:** **AI II**	Rm5 - **Chair:** **LOCAL JOURNALISM I**	Rm6 - **Chair:** **FAKE NEWS**	Rm7 - **Chair:** **KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER**	Rm8 - **Chair:** **AUDIENCE ENGAGEMENT II**	Rm9 - **Chair:** **POLARISATION**	Rm10 - **Chair:** **CLIMATE REPORTING**
	Disrupting News Work: How interventions are Changing Journalism Practice Sue Robinson, Joshua Darr **Objectivity as Strategy – A Content Analysis of British Political News Coverage 2019-2020**	**Journalists vs War Crimes** Johana Kotišová, Dariya Orlova **Tensions in portraying death and suffering. Finnish War Correspondents and Photographers in Ukraine during the Russian-Ukraine War 2014-2024** Liia-Maria Raippalinna, Suvi	**I get by with a little help from my friends: How discursively construct the role of friendship in emotional management** Grace Smith, Gregory Perreault, Gracie Campbell **Watchdogs under pressure: German investigative**	**How AI-Interactive Robots Affect News Users Opinions towards Trust and Learning from News** Silvia Majo-Vazquez, Daniel Preciado Vanegas, Mariken van der Velden, Kasper Welbers, Summer Silken, Elly Konijn **From Code to Emotion: The Influence of AI on**	**The Role of Local Journalism in Fostering Informed Communities: A Comparative Analysis** Luísa Torre, Giovanni Ramos, Mateus Noronha, Pedro Jerónimo **News media trust as a commodity: a study of local journalists' and**	**From Voice Cloning to Voter Manipulation: Addressing the Audio Deepfake Challenge in Journalism** Ricardo Morais, Ana Sofia Paiva **Journalistic errors and fake news in the digital environment: A case from Brazil** Lívia de Souza Vieira	**Navigating conflicting journalisms: Latin American journalists and China's media training programmes** Pablo Morales **Chinese Media Intervention in Zambian Journalism** George Sichinga, Chris Paterson	**"You are an anchor for me": Audiences' love and breakup letters to journalistic actors** Sandra Banjac, Clara Juarez Miro, Folker Hanusch **Can audiences help solve journalism's dilemmas? A comparative perspective between Chile and the Netherlands**	**Uncertain (there are still) guardians: Revisiting new institutionalism and journalism as a political institution** Scott A. Eldridge **The Spiral of Mediated Polarization** Arnon Kedem, Motti Neiger **'The emotional needs of our audience.' The**	**Transformative Journalism, Quiet Advocacy, and the seductive power of imagery in digital climate niche journalism** Sylvia Hayes, Saffron O'Neill **Examining the source effect: Comparative analysis of exposure to climate protest news and public**

	Xiao Liu, Adrian Quinn, Todd Graham **Qualifying the narrative of change: Assessing whether network news coverage of devolution has improved in the United Kingdom post-pandemic** Llion Carbis **Dancing on a Fine Line: Constructing Boundaries in Journalist-Politician Relationships in Austria and the Czech Republic** Marína Urbániková, Melanie Haberl, Folker Hanusch, Lenka Waschková Císařová **Silencing the Fourth Estate. Understanding the Origins and Impact of Violence Against Political Journalists** Kenza Lamot, Kathleen Beckers, peter Van Aelst	Mononen, Turo Uskali, Markus Mykkänen, Pasi Ikonen, Antero Holmila **Conflict with the Kremlin: the possible futures of journalism on Russia** James Rodgers **Same, same, but different: Nation-centered mediascapes in Norway and Sweden's visual coverage of the Russian invasion of Ukraine** Maria Nilsson, Anne Hege Simonsen	**journalists' struggles** Maximilian Eder, Andrea Claudia Hoffmann, Alan Arman, Olga Scheer **Organizational support and preventive measures for journalists facing threats and violence** Janara Nicoletti **Supporting Journalism Job Satisfaction and Well-Being in Conflicting Times** Valérie Bélair-Gagnon, Logan Molyneux, Alexis Haskell **'I feel pretty vulnerable': 'Shared Press Distress' and the police raids of a rural newspaper** Stephen L. Wolgast	**Consumer Feelings and Perceptions Consuming Journalistic Content** Barbara Brandstetter, Anja Zenk **The more understood, the more credible? An Exploratory Study on the Influencing Factors of Perceived Credibility from the Perspective of Comprehensibility and Algorithmic Literacy** Junbin Su, Zihan Ni **People don't trust GenAI in Journalism: Nuanced AI disclosures decrease perceived trustworthiness of news articles** Nicolas Mattis, Kimon Kieslich, Claes de Vreese **Assessing the Impact of Source Attribution on News Credibility: Human vs. AI Authorship Perceptions** Bingcan Li, Rukun Zhang	**local inhabitants' mutual trust** Diego Garusi **Sink, Swim or Soar: Surviving arid local news environments in Germany and the U.S.** Karin Assmann, Jana Rick **Power, values and partnerships: Exploring Public Service Media's collaborative role in enhancing local news** Kristy Hess, Angela Ross, Angela Blakston, Susan Forde, Alison McAdam, Matthew Ricketson	**Accountability in the Deepfake Era: Measuring Public Trust in Evidence of War Crimes and Political Wrongdoing** Yael Ram, Matthew D. Simonson **On the same page? Expert perceptions on the role of AI-driven disinformation** Teresa Weikmann, Marina Tulin, Michael Hameleers, Claes de Vreese, Ferre Wouters, Michaël Opgenhaffen, Brahim Zarouali	**Soft Power, Imperialism, and Resistance in Global South Journalism** Ruth Moon **Beyond Frames: The Hidden Toll of Being a Global South Producer Making Documentaries for the West** Saad M. Zuberi **Bridging conflicting working cultures: Knowledge transfer between traditional and youth-centric public service media in Germany** Annika Sehl, Lea Sophia Lehner	Constanza Gajardo, Tim Groot Kormelink, Silvia Majó Vázquez, Claudio Jofré **"Discover the magic backstage!" News literacy as a lifeline for Swiss news media** Laura Amigo, Nathalie Pignard-Cheynel, Julien Perrot **"Listen to the kids": How reporting on climate change can(not) be improved by involving young audiences** Ingerid Salvesen	**impact of affective polarization on the American Jewish press** Jacob L. Nelson **Journalistic roles in light of populism: How PSM representatives discuss their coverage of populists and how they perceive their normative role** Johanna Wolleschensky, Annika Sehl **Carlson v Putin. Conceptualising the balance between condemnation and credit** Neil J. Roberts	**support across the UK, USA, Germany, and France** Waqas Ejaz, Richard Fletcher **Recording Climate Change: The Role of Seasonal Journalism in Reporting on Extreme Weather** Sandra Simonsen, Henrik Bødker **Resisting the Silence: Israeli Climate Journalists' Struggle Against Institutional and Systemic Barriers in Climate Crisis Coverage** Vered Elishar **Watchdog science journalism: Navigating conflict to hold science to account** Alice Fleerackers, An Nguyen, Kristen De Jager, Arijit Joshi, Ivan Oransky

15:00	**Coffee break**									
15:30	**Breakout three**									
	Rm1 - **Chair:** **EXILED JOURNALISTS**	Rm2 - **Chair:** **MEDIA AUDIENCES I**	Rm3 – **Chair:** **TIK TOK**	Rm4 - **Chair:** **EMOTIONS AND JOURNALISM**	Rm5 - **Chair:** **VISUAL STORYTELLING**	Rm6 - **Chair:** **SOCIAL JUSTICE**	Rm7 - **Chair:** **POPULISM**	Rm8 - **Chair:** **PRESS FREEDOM**	Rm9 - **Chair:** **THE ROLE OF TECHNOLOGY IN SHAPING WORK**	Rm 10 - **Chair:** **REGULATION AND ACCOUNTABILITY**
	Navigating Exile in Germany: Comparing exiled journalists' experiences from Turkey, Afghanistan and Russia Hanan Badr, Carola Richter, Anna Litvinenko **Transnational solidarity: How exiled journalists stand with marginalized communities from afar** Huong X. Nguyen **The War at Home: The Roles and Practices of Russian Journalists Reporting From Exile** Teodora Trifonova, Joy Jenkins **"Engaged objectivity" or the emotions behind "visual truth": Russian visual professionals in exile covering Ukraine**	**Navigating the Toxic News Landscape: Insights from Irish and Belgian Citizens** Pauljan Truyens, Ike Picone, Sien Van de Wouwer, John O'Sullivan, Paul McNamara, Callum Craig, Irene Psychari **"Surely advertising and PR can also be informative". Comparing practices of valuing news and information by two generations** Irene Costera Meijer **Making sense of abundant supply: How audiences negotiate journalistic boundaries** Phoebe Maares, Kim Löhmann, Folker Hanusch, Daniel Nölleke **Critical information needs and machine learning: A methodology for an audience-centric understanding of**	**Headlines are dead? Long live the FYP: how Portuguese news outlets are using TikTok** Ilo Alexandre **'From the field to porridge' – TikTok influencers in the Finnish public service media** Margareta Salonen, Veera M. Ehrlén, Jonathan Hendrickx **"You won't see it in the media": Getting informed on TikTok about a natural disaster** Jorge Vázquez-Herrero, María-Cruz Negreira-Rey **Digital humanitarianism: TikTok and the reporting of humanitarian crises** Madhushala Senaratne, Carolyne M. Lunga	**Journalists' emotions in metajournalistic discourses: Approaching emotions as a tool for investigative journalism in "The Tip Off" podcast** Anna Luo **Re-appraising the emotional turn in journalism studies** Karin Wahl-Jorgensen **Emotions in Metajournalistic Discourses** Johana Kotišová, Gregory Perreault, Kalyani Chadha, Volha Kananovich, Michael Koliska **The Emotional Dynamics of Journalism: Navigating Professional Transitions and Affective Labor** Mojca Pajnik, Maja Breznik, Rok Smrdelj **The embodied foreign**	**"Blue Islands" and "Red Oceans": Visual Semiotics and Rhetoric of US Presidential Election Maps,** Ningyuan Ma **How does GenAI 'see' climate change (and back again): Exploring the challenges and opportunities of GenAI for climate visual journalism** Saffron O'Neill, Veronica White, Tristan Cann, Felix Simon, Alastair Johnstone-Hack, Simon Puttock, Sylvia Hayes, Oliver Blewett, Chico Camargo, Travis Coan, Francisco Gonzalez Espinosa, Ranadheer Malla **How do you recognise news? – A multimodal perspective on young adults perception of news on visual social media**	**New Realities, New Journalisms: Epistemology in an Age of Conflicting Truths** Morten Stinus Kristensen **What's DEI Got to Do With It? Conflicting Definitions and Valuing of DEI in Journalism** Helen Cho, Samantha Nissen **Seeing queer: Czech photojournalism and the representation of LGBTQ+ people and topics** Tomáš Pacovský **#metoo 2.0: How news organisations cover sexual abuse amidst a backlash to the movement** Lindsey E. Blumell, Yasmine Feital Calcado Barbosa **Media as bridge or barrier? The role of news consumption**	**"You are the media now": Elon Musk's populism on X versus traditional news outlets** Urko Pena Alonso, Koldobika Meso Ayerdi, Jesús Ángel Pérez Dasilva, María Ganzabal Learreta, Terese Mendiguren Galdospin **Auditing Authoritarian and Populist Censorship: Critical ML Interventions for Best Practice Reporting Conventions** Kenzie Burchell **Populism through the eyes of Czech journalists: Dangerous, or mainstream?** Jan Křovák **Telegram as a Multifaceted Platform for Anti-Mainstream Political Passion**	**The paradox of the European Media Freedom Act: regulating for platform dependence** Charis Papaevangelou, Max Z. van Drunen **Silencing the Press: Lawfare as a Tool Against Press Freedom** Lucia Mesquita, Mathias-Felipe de-Lima-Santos, Janara Nicoletti, Bruce Mutsvairo **Journalistic Courage against Authoritarianism: What German 1920s Weimar Republic journalism can tell us about the present** Antje Glück **Press under pressure: The challenges that continue to confront journalists in the Philippines** Edson Tandoc	**Bureaucratic Gameplay and Algorithmic Labor: Techno-Social Practices of Platform Hot-Spot Operators in China's Platform Society** Yuehong Yu, Yitian Wang **The Impact of Generative AI on employment conditions in the news industry: Challenges, Opportunities, and Workforce Transformation** Emma Verhoeven, Sarah Van Leuven **How Much Do Journalists Leave Their Desks? A Mixed-Methods Study of Reporting in the Digital Age** Troels G. Østergaard, Friederike Felbo **Negotiating work meaningfulness against audience metrics data – Towards the future**	**Journalistic metadiscourse: An analysis of court cases emanating from the British press phone hacking scandal** Bina Ogbebor **Regulating Journalism in an era of crisis: Ireland's new media regulator and the struggle for public interest journalism** Tom Felle **Still distinctive from the market? Comparing the news agendas and democratic role performance of public service and privately owned media** Daniel Jackson, Nicole Blanchett, Daniel Hallin, Jee Young Lee, Jamie Matthews, David Nolan, Fergal Quinn, Henry Silke, Xin Zhao **Cameras in court: Reflections on the**

	Liudmila Voronova, Victoria Colesnic	**the local news provision** Hannah Artman, Damon Kiesow, Joy Jenkins		**correspondent: Creative practice as a tool for understanding how international news workers deploy their bodies** Lisa Waller, Christine Kearney	Veera M. Ehrlén, Margareta Salonen, Diana Bossio **Visualizing the Amazon: Data-Driven Storytelling, Mapping and Audience for Environmental Journalism** Mathias Felipe de Lima Santos, Isabella Gonçalves	**on immigrants' sense of belonging** Camila M. Valgas, Sanne Kruikemeier, Tim Groot Kormelink, Yael de Haan	Salla Tuomola, Jakob Bæk Kristensen	**Journalistic resistance in autocratising EU countries. How journalists navigate illiberal public spheres in Austria, Hungary and Slovakia** Simone Benazzo	**of data-driven newsrooms** Pinja Päivänen, Rasa Jämsen, Minna Koivula, Mikko Villi **Getting away with data? How Brazilian data journalists use (and perceive the use of) generative AI** Thales Leal-Dibo, Marília Gehrke	**first three years of filming Crown court sentencing in England and Wales** Sally Reardon, Bernhard Gross, Marcus Keppel-Palmer, Thomas Smith **Ownership concentration: Effects on journalistic content and news production** Ville J.E. Manninen, Lauri Haapanen
17:00	**Breakout four**									
	Rm1 - **Chair:** **HOSTILE ENVIRONMENTS**	Rm2 - **Chair:** **NEWS RECOMMENDER SYSTEMS**	Rm3 – **Chair:** **EDUCATION I**	Rm4 - **Chair:** **FACT CHECKING II**	Rm5 - **Chair:** **JOURNALISTS INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE NEWSROOM**	Rm6 - **Chair:** **WAR REPORTING**	Rm7 - **Chair:** **JOURNALISM AND ACTIVISM**	Rm8 - **Chair:** **AI III**	Rm9 - **Chair:** **JOURNALISTIC AGENCY UNDER STRUCTURAL CONSTRAINTS I**	Rm10 - **Chair:** **INNOVATION IN JOURNALISM**
	Navigating peril: press freedom, gender disparities, and the safety of journalists in Brazil Janara Nicoletti, Laura Storch, Marcos Paulo da Silva, Kérley Winques **Navigating Hostility: How American Journalists Experience and Manage Dark Participation** Zivile Raskauskaite, Kathleen Rose	**Credible by design? Studying the effects of news recommender system design on users' perceptions of news relevance and credibility** Willem Buyens, Michelle Kulig, Raphaël Tuor, Manuel Puppis, Hilde Van den Bulck, Steve Paulussen **Algorithmic Gatekeeping inside News Recommendation Systems: Continuity and Conflict in**	**Equitable Reporting 101?: Teaching Principles of Diversity and Inclusion in Journalism Schools** Carolina Velloso **"We don't have the same possibilities": Between promise and practice, a narrative inquiry into the experiences of international students from restrictive media contexts in U.S. journalism education**	**Collaborative Perspectives on Fact-Checking in the Global South** Lucia Mesquita, Mathias Felipe de Lima Santos **Fighting Disinformation Amid Conflicting Platform Logics: The Reactive and Proactive Paradigms** Ramón Salaverría Oscar Westlund **Scrutinizing News Accuracy: A Cross-National**	**Addressing the "mental health epidemic" in journalism: a theoretical model, a practical approach** Mark Deuze **Biting the hand that feeds: affective organizing by self-employed journalists for creative justice in Newsrooms** Erwin van 't Hof **Conflicts inside and out the newsroom: impact on Portuguese-**	**Framing international conflicts in Nigerian newspapers** Shepuya Famwang **The Psychological Toll on Kenyan War Correspondents (2011–2021)** Osman Osman **Unmasking the Ngarbuh Massacre: Media-Clergy Collaboration in Investigating Military Killings in Cameroon** Edwin T. Nfor	**Occupational Activism of Outsiders Within: How journalists of color work toward a more expansive news ecosystem** Laura Garbes **"What if the power to change the media was in your hands?" How media activist groups engage audiences to challenge British mainstream news reporting on marginalised groups**	**From traditional journalism to AI-driven reporting: a study on the use of virtual digital humans in major news coverage—the case of the Paris Olympics** Zeshi Ni, Qinyi Du **Chatting the News: How AI-Powered Chatbots Shape Audience Engagement and Satisfaction** Isabella Gonçalves, Mathias-Felipe De-Lima-Santos	**An overview of Vietnamese journalistic practices in the age of social media** Son Xuan Hoang **Journalism Under Taliban Rule: Navigating Misinformation, Censorship, and the Documentation of Human Rights Violations** Kaweh Kerami **The Struggle for Journalism Standards: Uzbek Journalism in the**	**Stick or Twist: How News Labs Mediate the Conflict between Established Practice and Uncharted Territory** Jane B Singer, Hannes Cools, Ana Marta Flores, José Alberto García-Avilés, Sonja Kretzschmar, Ana Cecilia Bisso Nunes, Colin Porlezza, Julia Eyrich, Giulia Ferri **Subsidized news-media innovation: evidence and effects from**

	Threats and Harassment of Swedish Journalists, 10 Years On: Well-Being, Consequences and Coping Strategies Monica Löfgren Nilsson, Henrik Örnebring **Toward social resilience in newsrooms? Insights into the coping, adaptation and transformation strategies that journalists and media organizations in Germany use to resist harassment in response to conflict reporting** Rebecca Strohmeier, Luisa Wilczek, Annika Sehl, Sonja Kretzschmar **Reporters with borders: German journalists under duress rethinking reporting practices** Karin Assmann	**Traditional and Algorithmic News Values - A Patent-Based Analysis** Junbin Su, Yuan Zhuang, Yetong Guo **Adaptive Journalism: Conceptualizing the Fluid Nature of Algorithmically Curated News** Jannie Møller Hartley, Liisa Ovaska **Unveiling the User Experience: A mixed-methods approach to assess the (mis)match between news user behavior and worthwhileness** Kenza Lamot, Tim Groot Kormelink	Samantha K. Nissen **Queering the Journalism curriculum: Embedding LGBTQIA+ inclusivity into the classroom** Wendy S. Sloane **The Journalist Always Rings Twice? Preparing journalism students for interviewing those caught up in trauma and conflict** Glenda Cooper **From UGC to AI Journalism: Pedagogical Approaches in France, Canada and the UK** Michael Lithgow, Michèle Martin	**Longitudinal Study of Accuracy Complaints** Cato Depauw **Re-revisiting the epistemology of fact-checking: factual falsification vs. claim credibility** Laurence Williams, Elizabeth Stewart	**speaking journalists' mental health and well-being** Gabriela Matos Ferreira, Dora Santos-Silva **"I live precariously every month". The interplay of precarity and entrepreneurialism from the perspective of startup journalists** Jana Rick **Journalists' Personalization: How Self-Promoting, Branding, and Ideological Positioning Redefine Journalistic Practices, Products, and Institutions** Arnon Kedem, Motti Neiger	**Peace and War: Context Switching in War Reporting and Journalism Research** Richard Stupart, Johana Kotisova **Journalism in times of war: the case of Ukraine** Dariya Orlova, Vera Slavtcheva-Petkova	Nadia Haq **Manifesting Organizational Change in Journalism through Joyful Acts** Gregory Perreault, Valérie Belair-Gagnon **The Intersection of Journalism and Digital Activism among Reporters in Gaza** Saif Shahin, Mohamed Salama, Mona Alsaba, Shahira Fahmy **Should We Talk About Activist Journalism? How Portuguese Journalism Frames Feminist Struggles** Sónia Lamy, Carla Cerqueira	**Generative AI in Editorial Cartoons: Exploring the Impact of Source Attribution on Perceived Quality and Expertise** Rukun Zhang, Bingcan Li **Guiding Conflict: Crafting Guidelines for Generative Visual AI in Journalism** Astrid Vandendaele, Jaap de Jong	**Face of Geopolitical and Digital Transformations** Olesya Romashko, Yan Wu **Facing the authoritarian rise: How journalists' professional role conceptions reflect their democratic role across Europe**, Imke Henkel, Neil Thurman, Jonila Godole, Alice Němcová Tejkalová, Sandra Lábová, Antonia Čuvalo, Zrinjka Peruško, Jari Väliverronen, Reeta Pöyhtäri, Mikko Villi, Thomas Hanitzsch, Wiebke Loosen **Strategising resistance in a circumscribed locus: Investigative journalism in India** Venkata Vemuri, Savyasaachi Jain	**Denmark, 2014-2023** Aske Kammer, Mark Blach-Ørsten **How a boundary spanner perspective can help journalists disrupt the status quo** Erika Owens **Unpacking innovation: policy network analysis of a publicly-funded innovation programme** Giordano Zambelli, Pauljan Truyens, Ike Picone
1930	**Dinner: Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama**									

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08:30	**Registration - Coffee & breakfast**									
09:15	**Day two welcome**									
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11:00	**Breakout one**									
	Rm1 - **Chair:** **SOURCES**	Rm2 - **Chair:** **TECHNOLOGY AND JOURNALISM PRACTICE**	Rm3 – **Chair:** **AI IV**	Rm4 - **Chair:** **DEBATES IN JOURNALISM STUDIES**	Rm5 - **Chair:** **DISINFORMATION**	Rm6 **Chair:** **CRISIS REPORTING**	Rm7 - **Chair:** **ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CONFLICT II**	Rm8 - **Chair:** **GENDER II**	Rm9 - **Chair:** **ETHICS**	Rm10 **Chair:** **JOURNALISTIC DILEMMAS**
	From the climate news beat to the climate policy field: A new approach to studying power and the journalist-source relationship Mark Blach-Ørsten, Anton Grau, Dina Nørgaard, Ida Willig **Hacked, Leaked, and Reported: Journalistic Practices and Ethical Concerns in a Turbulent Cyber Landscape** Philip Di Salvo **Changing to keep the same: The paradox of quoting in journalism** Lauri Haapanen **Cross-border collaborations and open-source journalism: Strategies for mending information access inequalities**	**Working with Machines: Journalistic Practitioners making sense of AI and Automation in Germany** Sina Thäsler-Kordonouri, Michael Koliska **The implications of professional deskilling for journalistic authority in AI-driven newsrooms of Nordic countries** Carl Chineme Okafor **Coding for a Cause: The Motivations and Experiences of Developers at the Intersection of Technology and Journalism** Lynge Asbjørn Møller	**The Great Journalistic Wall in China: Preemptive Boundary Work in the Age of Generative AI** Joanne Kuai **Navigating the Rapids: Chinese Social Media Editors Steering Through the Currents of In-House AI Models Deployment** Hongyi Bai, Zhouyi Yao **AI Experts as sources in Dutch Daily newspapers, 1950-2024** Jessy De Cooker **AIGC and Media Convergence: A Complex Systems Perspective** Ya Yang, Guoming Yu	**What Is News? Revisiting Journalism Studies' Foundational Question in the Digital Age** Kirsten Eddy **Deconstructing the 'peripheral': Reflections on the limits of vocabulary used in journalism scholarship** Ansgard Heinrich, David Cheruiyot **Bridging the Gap: Advancing Action Research Agenda in Journalism** Namrata Acharya **Evidence-Based Journalism: Bridging the Research-Practice Gap as a Prospect for Polarized Societies** Karin Boczek, Vera Katzenberger	**The Frontlines of Truth: Journalists Battling Election Disinformation in Indonesia's 2024 Presidential Race** Jati Savitri Sekargati **Pursuing Truth or Promoting Lies? Journalists' Perceptions of Their Own and Others' Roles in the Spread of Disinformation** Pedro Jerónimo, Luísa Torre, Tatiana Dourado, Ricardo Morais **Journalism Under Pressure: Investigating the Role of Journalists in Challenging AI-Powered Manipulation and Generative Disinformation in the 2024 Indian Elections**	**Beyond Watchdog and Humanitarian: The Role Performance of Global Journalism in Humanitarian Crises** Zhe Xu, Mengrong Zhang, Ke Du **Navigating Identities and Proximities in Crises Reporting: An Exploration of Journalists in Anglophone Cameroon and Southeast Nigeria** Edwin T. Nfor, Silas Udenze **Narratives of Resistance: Post-War Peace Journalism in Sri Lankan New Media** Jude Dinesh Koduthor Soosaipillai Koduthor	**Safeguarding Palestinian Journalists: An Examination of Israeli Violations in the 2023–2025 Gaza Conflict Through the Lens of International Humanitarian Law** Mohammedwesam Amer, Ramez Ashour **Blinding the genocide: How the systematic killing of journalists and media workers has been reported in major international legacy media** Henry Silke, Eugenia Siapera, Eileen Culloty, Fergal Quinee **Investigating global conflict: new skills, tools and players in reporting human suffering through OSINT journalism** Carolyne M. Lunga	**Conflicting gender experiences in narrative news podcast journalism** Gurvinder Aujla-Sidhu **The BBC's women foreign correspondents: overcoming obstacles to gender parity** Colleen M. Murrell **Wording Wars: Conflicts over Gender-related Terminology in Journalism** Linda Steiner, Stine Eckert **Women Journalists on Social Media: The Practicum and Implications of Personalization Practices** Arnon Kedem	**Beyond AI Guidelines? How Swiss Journalists Address the Challenges of Generative AI** Laura Pranteddu, Laura Amigo, Colin Porlezza **From the ashes of disruption: the search for human-centric AI innovation** Colette Brin **Navigating the AI Act: Challenges and Implications for Journalism** D Arets, B Wernaart **Journalism Ethics in the Face of Digital Risks: A Study of Journalists' Risk Perception and Coping Strategies under News Recommendation Algorithms** Liying Xue, Junbin Su	**"I was screaming into a void": Journalists on Leaving or Staying Behind at Twitter/X** Jonathan Hendrickx **Stuck between democracy and a layoff: Connecting journalists' personal disillusionment to overall normative press evaluations** Alexis Haskell **Disillusionment in In-House Sports Reporting: How In-House Sports Reporters Conceive of their Relationship with Athletes** Gregory Perreault, Daniel Nölleke **The most idealist ones are leaving: Early career dropouts among new beat reporters** Tal Mishaly, Zvi Reich

	Lindita Camaj	**Data as a Resource: the resource position of the news media in the digital economy** Aske Kammer		**"Here we go again!" — a theoretical exploration of cyclicality in journalism** Henrik Bødker	Rana Arafat, Namrata Acharya **News or noise: When does journalism disinform?** Marília Gehrke, Marcel J. Broersma **The Critical Role of Civil Society in Shaping the Future of Journalism in the Face of Digital Disinformation and Media Fragmentation** Asaf Wiener, Yael Ram	**The impact of news coverage on the UK's international aid** Martin Scott, Mel Bunce, Ludek Stavinoha	**From Lifestyle to War Stories: Navigating National Crisis in Lifestyle Women's Magazines in Wartime** Einat Lachover			**Streaming journalism: balancing information and entertainment** Boris Krywicki
12:30	**Lunch**									
13:30	**Breakout two**									
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	Ongoing Conflict Around the Gendering of Journalism and News Aoife Sheehan, Kathryn Hayes **Overcoming Bias in a Male-Dominated Field: Audience Perceptions of Female Sports Journalists** Anna Hrbackova **Analyzing the resistance of women journalists from different generations and their sisterhood**	**Moving from print to digital news: How the materiality of news consumption affects media habits** Marcel Broersma, Joëlle Swart **A Writing on a Wall: Informal Graphic Design in Conflict Journalism** Jan Novotny **The radical outsourcing of news distribution:**	**Branding cultural diversity? The politics of representing multi-ethnic nationhood in Chinese state TV news broadcast of Xinjiang** Hao Xie **Navigating Media Coverage of Minorities: Greek Journalists' Perspectives on Ethics, Bias, and Media Framing** Panagiota (Naya) Kalfeli, Christina	**Reflexivity and resistance: Emergent pedagogies of co-creation in the adoption of AI in the documentary filmmaking classroom** Savyasaachi Jain **The future of climate change journalism: imaginings among journalism students** Cecilia Arregui Olivera, Henrik Bødker	**Walking the Precarious Tightrope: Career Insecurity, Financial Instability, and the Erosion of Collective Advocacy in Local Journalism** Salih Kinsun **Responsible AI innovation in local journalism: Findings and solutions from two** Roxana Portugal, Maximilian Eder,	**Conceptualisations and analyses of media dis- and mistrust: Reviewing research from a decade of distrust** Fredrik Stiernstedt, Peter Jakobsson **Experiencing audience distrust in journalism: the view from local journalists in the UK** Julie Firmstone, Gummo Clare, John Steel	**Distorted reflections: The politics of digitality in Arab news** Omar Al-Ghazzi **Making Sense of Epistemological Dimensions of Digital Journalism in Ethiopia: An Exploration of News-Making Practices** Behailu Atinafu Dessie, Abera Yenework kebede **The Resistance of Turkish Citizen**	**Objectivity's Conjuncture: Exploring American Journalism's Rituals in an Epistemic Contest** Chad Rhym **"Shapeshifting" fairness in British legacy news institutions: An analysis of impartiality in Sky and BBC Breakfast TV news programmes** Binakuromo Ogbebor	**Don't Panic (Yet): Assessing the Evidence and Discourse around (Generative) AI and Elections** Felix M Simon, Sacha Altay **Machiavellian journalism? When and how political reporters condone broken election promises** Lisa Waller, Lucy Morieson, Frank Algra-Maschio	**Visualizing Tortures and Wars: Visual Representation and Photojournalism Ethics of Bucha Massacre** Barbora Součková, Zuzana Jarolímková **Peace Photographies: Rethinking Photojournalism of Armed Conflict** Pippa Oldfield, Tom Allbeson **Images of Violence in Indian Digital**

	Florence Le Cam, Manon Libert **The struggle to lead: An exploration of gender equity in leadership of Australian newsrooms** Diana Bossio, Andrea Carson	**Delivering journalism in the datafied platform ecosystem** Helle Sjøvaag, Torbjörn Rolandsson, Aske Kammer	Angeli, Christos Frangonikolopoulos **Civil Society and Mainstream Journalism in Conflict: A Case Study in Muslim Self-Fashioning** Michael B. Munnik **Counting refugees: a 350-year history in English journalism** Brendan Lawson, Nathan Ritchie, Demi Wilton	**Reconciling competing interests and values in journalism education: "News," "journalism," and conflict** Stephanie Craft, Morten Stinus Kristensen **Reimagining Climate Journalism Education: A Design Thinking Approach to Audience Engagement** Kelly Fincham	Bartosz Wilczek, Mario Haim, Neil Thurman **Building future scenarios for local journalism in the age of generative AI: impacts, enablers, and mitigators** Clara Keller, Moritz Luthardt, Priska Marx, Sophia Mayer, Nathalie Mysliwczyk, Alexander Reithmeier, Thomas Sevastiadis, Bartosz Wilczek **But is it journalism? Welsh community radio as hyper-local journalism** Paul Atkins	**The Disinformation Discourse in Public Debate: A Critical Review of the Experience of Low-Trusting Citizens** Salla Tuomola **Distrust and polarisation: citizens' perceptions of journalism in Spain, Italy and Slovakia** Jaume Suau, David Puertas	**Journalism Against Digital Authoritarianism: The Case of Sendika.Org** Ahmet Buğra Kalender, Barış Çoban **Charting Uncertainty: Digital-Born Media and Democratic Backsliding in Indonesia** Wisnu Prasetya Utomo	**New Journalism and conflict reporting – The Case of "CRISIS – Behind the Border"** Janis Brinkmann, Christof Amrhein, Anne Pröhle **Rethinking objectivity and impartiality in times of human tragedies** Zahera Harb **The Challenges of Impartial, Fair, and Trustworthy News Media Reporting in Polarized Environments** Kate Susan O'Connor Farfan	**Disconnected but not disengaged? How social inequality shapes young people's experiences of political communication during the 2024 UK general election** James Dennis **Rewriting 'The Interview Contract': Podcasting the 2024 United States Presidential Election** Maxwell Modell **The long arm of the law: The visual representation of law enforcement and the electorate during South African elections** Bernadine L. Jones	**Media: The Case of Manipur Violence** Lakshaya Mathava Kumar, Vibha Rajeev **Toward a new taxonomy of visual news values** Adrian J.C. Hadland, Bernadine L. Jones
15:00	**Coffee break**									
15:30	**Breakout three**									
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	Between Concern and Epistemic Vigilance: How Audiences React to the Rise of AI-generated Misinformation in Three Countries Felix M. Simon, Amy Ross Arguedas, Richard Fletcher, Rasmus Kleis Nielsen	**Renegotiating Public Service: Values, Audiences and Politics in Sweden and Estonia** Maria Kyriakidou, Fredrik Stiernstedt, Indrek Ibrus	**Values and the construction of journalistic identity in newsrooms: An ethnographic study** Birte Leonhardt **Becoming more than a watchdog: A narrative exploration of**	**Distributed Gatekeeping in Chinese Mainstream Media: Navigating Web Analytics and Professional Judgment in News Selection** Xue Zhang, Bin Wang	**The New York Times: Too Big to Fail? Or #FailingNYT?** Nik Usher **The 'new' news user: exploring motivations to consume news in a**	**Doing-their-own-research: Citizens use of alternative media in contentious health debates** Tine Ustad Figenschou, Kjersti Thorbjørnsrud	**From Watchdog to Copycat? Examining News Homogenization in Slovenian Journalism System** Igor Vobič, Boris Mance, Aleš Žagar, Marko Robnik Šikonja	**Building Bridges and Mending Fences: How Journalism Students Can Change Perceptions of Media Coverage in a Local News Desert** Maria T. Konow-Lund, Blanca A. Palacios Reyes	**Making sense of journalism at the times of geopolitical crisis: the study of folk theories of journalism among audiences in the Baltics** Jānis Juzefovičs, Līga Ozoliņa	

	Misinformation is not a given: Unpicking the question of generative authenticity in contemporary witness media Phoebe Matich, Jean Burgess, Michael Richardson **The Impact of AI-Generated Content on Chinese Journalism** Haiyan Wang **Negotiating Alternative Futures: Newsroom Expectations About Generative Artificial Intelligence** Juho Ruotsalainen, Jaana Hujanen, Leo Leppänen, Stefanie Sirén-Heikel	**Allies, antagonists, and avoiders: A synthesis and path forward for news audience research** Jacob L. Nelson, Seth C. Lewis **The politics of avoidance: Unpacking the cultural, personal and social influences on political news engagement in Australia** Renee P. Barnes, Melissa Innes **The news is boring: Understanding discontentment amongst news users through a conversational survey method** Renée van der Nat, Winnifred Wijnker, Sophie Duvekot, Yael de Haan, Koen van Turnhout	**professional identity and meaningful work in journalism** Minna Koivula, Tiina Saari, Pinja Päivänen, Mikko Villi **Superheroes, Bathrobe Journalists and Cowboys: How Flemish Journalists Construct their Professional Identity through Fiction** Maxine De Wulf Helskens **Between Self and Other: Insights into Foreign Correspondents' Negotiation of Cultural and Professional Identities in Cross-Cultural Reporting** Jasmin Surm	**Future Journalism in Conflict: Navigating the Changing Values of Television News** Sakulsri Srisaracam **Local News as Foreign News: The coverage of internal protests by Hebrew and Arabic journalism in Israel** Aysha Agbarya, Thomas Birkner **Going to extremes or steering clear of the edges? How journalist balance opinions** Hanne Tillemans, Cato Depauw, Emmi Verleyen **Challenging or Reproducing Bias? Journalism practices of Environmental Journalists in Independent News Organizations** Marlene Strehler-Schaaf, Isabella De Sousa Gonçalves, Oliver Quiring	**paid versus a free format** Youri Coudron, Mark Boukes, Felicia Loecherbach, Anke Wonneberger **The business models of social media journalism** Jonathan Hendrickx, Aske Kammer **The Future of Independent Journalism in Europe: Between Sustainability and Crisis** Maria Gonçalves **Branded content as a neoliberal strategy: The subtle takeover of Journalism** Dolors Palau, Maria Iranzo-Cabrera	**Journalistic authority and professional media associations: a study of contentions about inclusion or exclusion of alternative media actors** Karoline A. Ihlebæk, Tine U. Figenschou **Citizen journalism for social mobilization in war–affected Tigray** Hagos Kahssay, Gebru Kiflu ***A see-through curtain of varying texture*: How journalists and publics produce knowledge together** Bissie Anderson	**Building and re-building Journalism in Socialist Yugoslavia** Danica Petrović, Sandra Banjac, Maja Babić, Marcel Broersma **The logics of news production in the Colombian peace process (2012-2016): A mediatization of politics approach** Jose David Ortega Chavez **From Miners' Strikes to August Riots– exploring media production about (post-) industrial communities from 1980 until today. The case of Northern England** Antje Glück, James Morrison, Maike Dinger	**Exploring place as currency in the battle for local news sustainability** Alison McAdam, Kristy Hess **Perceptions of rural work among Generation Z: Understanding resistance to small-town employment** Teri Finneman, Tyler W. S. Nagel **Reclaiming local journalism for local communities** Damon M. Kiesow, Nicholas Mathews, Pranaav Jadhav	**Credibility and Trust in war reporting. Patterns of media usage amongst young Austrians as implications for reporting strategies** Gisela Reiter, Marian Adolf, Andreas Hess **Screens as Battlefields: Fact-Checkers' Multidimensional Challenges in Debunking Russian-Ukrainian War Propaganda** Laurence Dierickx, Carl-Gustav Lindén **AI and the Sustainability of Local News in Ukraine in Wartime** Marisa J. Porto	
17:00	**Closing remarks**									